### Associate of Arts – Music

**GENERAL EDUCATION STUDIES  43 Hours**

**General Education:** 14 hours  
COM 1143 Fundamentals of Speech Communication  
ENG 1113 Composition and Rhetoric I  
ENG 1123 Composition and Rhetoric II  
*3 hours from the following:*  
   - ENG 2233 American Literature I  
   - ENG 2243 American Literature II  
   - ENG 2273 Introduction to Literature  
GES 1122 Strategies for Student Success  
**Social/Behavioral Sciences:** 9 hours  
   - GOV 2213 National and State Government  
   - HIS 1113 American History I  
   - PSY 1153 Introduction to Psychology  
**Natural Science/Mathematics:** 6 hours  
   - 3 hours from the following:  
     - BIO 1113 Biological Science  
     - PHY 1113 Physical Science  
   - 3 hours from the following:  
     - MTH 1113 College Mathematics  
     - MTH 1123 College Algebra  
**Physical Education:** 2 hours  
   - PED 2232 Wellness and Lifestyle  
   - or-  
   - 2 hours from activity courses without duplication: PED 1101-2291

The Associate of Arts in Music provides a variety of curriculum offerings that will assist the student in their musical skills.

**Upon completion of this program, students will:**

1. Demonstrate understanding in the fundamentals of music theory (Music Theory I-II), and aural theory.  
2. Demonstrate basic conducting skills and rehearsal procedures.  
3. Demonstrate the ability to sing/play in music ensembles.  
4. Demonstrate technique, sight-reading, and improvisation in piano/voice.

**Additional Requirements for A.A. in Music:**

The Departmental Placement Examinations:

Piano Placement Assessment is given to determine piano readiness. Students desiring to register for private piano lessons will enroll in MUS 0031 Beginning Class Piano and take the PPA the first day of class each semester. Those who pass the PPA will be permitted to enroll in MAP 1111 Applied Piano.

Voice Placement Assessment is given to determine vocal readiness. Students desiring to register for private voice lessons will enroll in MUS 0051 Class Voice and take the VPA the first day of class each semester. Those who pass the VPA will be permitted to enroll in MAP 1211 Applied Voice.

Theory Placement Assessment is given to all incoming music students to determine theory readiness. Students will register for MUS 0012 Basic Musicianship I and take the TPA the first day of class in the fall semester. Those who pass the TPA will be permitted to enroll in MUS 1114 Music Theory I.
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**General Biblical Studies: 12 Hours**
- BIB 2213 Bible Study
- REL 1153 New Testament Literature
- REL 1163 Old Testament Literature
- THE 2333 Pentecostal Doctrine and History

**MAJOR STUDIES 14 Hours**
- MUS 1114 Music Theory I
- MUS 1124 Music Theory II
- 2 hours from the following:
  - MUS 3312 Choral Conducting
  - MUS 3322 Instrumental Conducting
  - One hour of MUE ensembles
- 3 hours from MAP Applied Music
- 2 semesters of MAP 1000 Recital Attendance

**GENERAL ELECTIVES 6 Hours**

**TOTAL PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS 63 Hours**

Additional Program Stipulations

1. All students are to include one Bible, theology, or religion course each semester until degree requirements have been satisfied.
2. First-year students enrolled full-time are to include GES 1122 in their first semester program.
3. First-year students are to enroll in activity physical education courses each of their first two semesters at SAGU. Exceptions will be granted only with approval of the College Dean.
4. Veterans with at least 6 months of service may apply for and receive 4 hours of credit for physical education. Contact the Registrar’s Office.